



FLAT OUT LIKE



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THE SPRING has sprung and Royal Avalon was closed last week while some grass was rizz; if there is any uncertainty as to today's Donors - the WARNERS is. Harry and Andy represent more presidential material than could be found in the sewing room at the White House. They are the first father and son team to have been elected to the position whereby they ~~had~~ to make lame excuses for losing the Lizard. Our congratulations to the Warner Bros., - we are looking forward to their latest 20th Century production.

LE MON/DELLA DAY, and their array of prizes, which included a bottle of Scotch for the winner, a bottle of Port for the best scratch score, 2 balls for the best 1st and 2nd nines and a ~~bonus~~ bonus ball for each of the nearest the pins, caused the players to keep their heads down and produced the following, above average, scores:

First Lizards

Alan Lewis 42 points off 10 Handicap.

Second Lizards

Geoff Warren 39 points off 26 Handicap.

First Visitors

M. Weapon Henderson 39 points off 4 Handicap

Best Scratch

Len Le Mon 25 points off 10 Handicap

Nearest the Pins:

8th

~~Mr. Weapon~~ Jim Small

9th

Mr. Weapon

Second Short on 6th M^r Weapon

Longest Drive 7th Neil Shackie

Best Front Nine Jim Small 20 Points

Best Back Nine Neil Shackie 18 Points

Putting Mark MacMillan

Pradman Wal Hill 3 Points off 36

ALAN LEWIS, driven home by the thaw, was fined on his return to the course "for making his biannual visit." All things considered, he seemed to enjoy himself and, apart from today, is planning to swing a club again next month — on ALAN LEWIS DAY.

CHEF-CATERER, Geoff Warren, zoomed in from the back benches to keep Alan honest with a creditable, if not miraculous, 39 points — a step up from his annual average of 30.6. Keep it up Geoff and give ~~the~~ ex-caterer something to think about.

Garry Bird

VISITOR, M. Weapon Henderson, if it was not a misprint, played off 4! and won. This puts him in with the best $\frac{1}{2}$ dozen golfers ever to play with lizards. It is rumoured he has other half hidden talents and would play Aldo, Rubber Hips, Spinetti on a break. Even the fabled Pedro The Quick has flashed into promising situations to find the matter had been resolved by M.W. Henderson. Keeping it up could be a bit of a strain.

MISPRINTS do occur — last month "our genius Croupier" should have read "genial Croupier". The prediction, in the same issue of F.O.L., of

Len cracking it for a scratch score of 25 points, did not take long to gel. His effort recouped one of the Le Man/Della trophies.

SEVEN MEMBERS, including the Captain/Handicapper and hot shots Jim Small and the Grizz, were awarded a more lenient handicap prior to teeing off. Wal Hill missed out on the scientifically calculated benevolence and scored 3, of a permissible 36 points, over the 18 holes to retain his Bradman crown. Wal has insured himself against being Bradman today - he is fishing at South West Rocks.

THE PUTTING COMPETITION kicked off with a hole just over 5m. from the barrier. Pat Purcell, who owns a putter but is yet to have it tuned, was first up. He struck the ball with his ~~initial~~ initial swing and sent it skipping till it settled down, took a right hand bend and rattled into the cup. A hard act to follow. The next 10 competitors dipped out, Jim Small just shaving it on the high side. Dave Gitchner, in the middle of the field, sunk his putt and last, but not to be outdone, Alan Lewis, scored an ace. In the 3 way playoff, Pat and Alan had as much luck as Ivan Lendal and left Dave holding the trophy.

BILL SHEEHAN was presented with a brand new ball by his partner during the game. Taken by the novelty of putting his might ^{against} a gleaming Dunlop 65, he hooked it into the mulga. Hastening into the impenetrable ooloo, on a search and destroy mission, he failed to find the ball and was cut up about the incident as well as the legs, arms and one side of his face. Later at home, following minor first aid, he unloaded his car, parked on the steep end of Carew Street. The golf bag came out upside down, causing a cascade of 11 well used, specially trained, balls intent on their

pursuit

bid for freedom at the bottom of the 200 m. hill. Displaying more skill than a Cuban footballer, he kicked 8 into the gutter and headed down the incline in ~~the gutter~~ of the 3 high bouncers. Two were seen to ricochet from a passing car at the T intersection and the other entered a house window, which was thought to be open at the time. The 8 in the gutter grouped together for the downhill run and went down the drain like a string of beads. Bill, in his long golfing career, has been more liable to find a ball than lose one, but now finds himself in a lurch situation.

NEU MEREDITH, looking fitter and more handsome than ever, was welcomed back from hospital. Having the ear lift has done wonders for his pleasant smile - and, we hope, his ability to get back to work as our Club secretary.

Good golfing

Editor

LADIES NIGHT, Fri 6 October at the Manly Amateur Fishermen's Club - A full run down will be given at the meeting

Ex-Caterer, Captain/Handicapper and present Vice-President PETER GRIMES has become a FATHER. Co-incidentally the occasion was Fathers-day that LISA presented Peter with Jacqueline, 7lbs of health! After severe celebration and reflective recovery, the trio are now at home.

Warner Day - 17th December

Handicap Adjustments

Bill Epps - Plus one
Bill Sheenan L.M. Plus one

Nearest the Pins

1st Hole • 4th Hole • 2nd Shot - 7th hole

Longest Drive

11th Hole